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06 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
07 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
08 AT SEATTLE

09 TIMOTHY D. HUNTER,)
10) CASE NO. C11-1889-RAJ-MAT
11 Plaintiff,)
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13 v.)
14 MICHAEL ASTRUE,)
15 Commissioner of Social Security,)
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17 Defendant.)
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20 Plaintiff brought this action to seek judicial review of the denial of his applications for
21 Disability Insurance Benefits (DIB) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) by the
22 Commissioner of the Social Security Administration. The parties have now stipulated that this
23 case should be reversed and remanded pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). (Dkt.
24 21.)

25 Based on the stipulation of the parties, the Court recommends that this case be
26 REVERSED and REMANDED for further administrative proceedings. The parties have
27 stipulated that, on remand, the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) will: (1) provide a de novo
28 hearing and a new decision regarding plaintiff's DIB and SSI applications; (2) further evaluate

01 the opinions of record and the claimant's residual functional capacity; and (3) further evaluate
02 whether the claimant can perform his past relevant work and, if necessary, obtain vocational
03 expert testimony. Additionally, upon proper application, the Court will consider plaintiff's
04 application for attorney fees and expenses pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2412, and costs pursuant to
05 28 U.S.C. § 1920.

06 Given the above, the Court recommends that United States District Judge Richard A.
07 Jones immediately approve this Report and Recommendation and order the case REVERSED
08 and REMANDED for further administrative proceedings. A proposed order accompanies this
09 Report and Recommendation.

10 DATED this 1st day of May, 2012.

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14 United States Magistrate Judge
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